

DISPATCH		CLASSIFICATION S E C R E T	PROCESSING ACTION
TO C/EE			MARKED FOR INDEXING
INFO. COS/GERMANY - C/BONN OPS BASE - C/BERLIN OPS BASE C/CSB/FRANKFURT XX			NO INDEXING REQUIRED
FROM C/MUNICH LIAISON BASE			ONLY QUALIFIED DESK CAN JUDGE INDEXING
SUBJECT CATIDE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UJDROWSY			MICROFILM
ACTION REQUIRED - REFERENCES			
<p>1. ALIAS CASTROP ADVISED 15 MARCH THAT RUMOURS AGAIN CIRCULATING PRISONER EXCHANGE CHANNELS THAT HEINZ FELFE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TO BE EXCHANGED SOON. CASTROP SAID HE WISHED ASSURE KUBARK THAT RUMOURS WITHOUT FOUNDATION. NEITHER CATIDE NOR ANY OTHER RESPONSIBLE ELEMENT FEDREP GOVT HAS ANY INTENTION EXCHANGING FELFE AT THIS TIME.</p> <p>2. CASTROP SAID RUMOURS PROBABLY STARTED BECAUSE FELFE HAS RETAINED DR. WOLFEGANG VOGEL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TO PURSUE HIS CASE. FELFE HAS WRITTEN VOGEL ASKING VOGEL HURRY AND VISIT HIM. VOGEL REPLIED IN RATHER LEISURELY MANNER THAT HE WILL VISIT FELFE SOMETIME THIS SPRING. CASTROP DEDUCES FROM VOGEL'S TONE THAT VOGEL REALIZES NO POSSIBILITY OF SECURING FELFE'S RELEASE NOW.</p> <p>3. CASTROP SAID IN HIS OPINION ONLY THING WHICH MIGHT FORCE FEDREP TO RELEASE FELFE WOULD BE SOVIET BLOC PASSING NUMBER DEATH SENTENCES AGAINST CAPTURED CATIDE AGENTS. IF SOVIET BLOC PASSED SENTENCES AND THEN OFFERED EXCHANGE PRISONERS FOR FELFE THEY WOULD CREATE VERY DIFFICULT MORAL PROBLEM FOR FEDREP LEADERS. CASTROP ADDED THAT CATIDE HAD ALWAYS FEARED SOVIET BLOC WOULD RESORT TO SUCH MEASURES TO OBTAIN FELFE'S RELEASE AND WERE RELIEVED THEY HAD NOT DONE SO YET.</p>			
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